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Signature fody kluwd Date 3-22-01
Name: Cody Menard (ASSIGNOR)

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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this 21 day of 2001, personally appeared Cody Menard, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.



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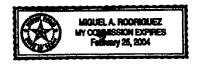
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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this <u>21</u> day of <u>Newel</u> 2001, personally appeared Raghavendra K. Murthy, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.



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Signature Date 3 22 2001

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WHEREAS, Tonic Software, Inc., a Delaware corporation having a place of business at 9606 N. MoPac Expy., Suite 900, Austin, Texas 78759 ("Assignee"), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to each of the Patents;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor does hereby sell, transfer, convey, assign and deliver to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Patents, and any and all continuations, divisions, reissuances, renewals and extensions thereof; the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and its successors and assigns entirely as if the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this sale and assignment not been made.

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Michael Vollman, President and Chief

**Executive Officer** 

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